

Pardon For Theo Lacy Recommended by Board

Theo Lacy, defaulting former chief clerk of the state convict department, was recommended for parole Tuesday of last week by a majority vote of the Alabama State Pardons board. Those voting for recommendation were State Auditor Fitzhugh Lee and Secretary of State William F. Cobb. The dissenting vote was cast by Attorney General Harwell G. Davis.

The disappearance of Lacy and of thousands of dollars of the state's money; the subsequent search for him by officers throughout the length and breadth of the country; and the return of Lacy months later to Montgomery, where he voluntarily gave himself up to the authorities, created one of the most profound sensations in criminal annals of the state. None of the missing state funds were ever recovered. Lacy was tried, convicted of embezzlement in two cases, and on April 6, 1915, was sentenced to terms in the penitentiary for ten

years and six years, respectively. For many months the board of pardons has been engaged in studying the record in the case, which includes a statement by Lacy himself regarding all details as related by him of the offenses for which he was convicted and sentenced and as to his whereabouts during his absence from Montgomery. The record also includes hundreds of letters from all sections of the state in support of Lacy's application for clemency, and a relatively small number opposing it.

In announcing its decision, the board devotes its attention to a discussion of the so-called "Frank case," what is generally known as the "main case," being alluded to only by way of reference. It was held by the majority that had Lacy prosecuted in one case only and given the extreme sentence of ten years, he would, by reason of his exceptionally good conduct in prison have been set free more than a year ago.

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New Record Is Set By Alabama Jersey

Among Jersey cattle in Alabama there is a new champion. It is Pannonia of Friendship, owned by King Pharr, of Coalinga. Her record is 19,657 lbs. of milk containing 709.63 pounds of butterfat produced in one year. She was placed on official test at the age of five years and five months under the direction of the Agricultural College at Auburn.

In addition to her championship record Pannonia of Friendship is the only gold medal cow in Alabama having qualified for the American Jersey Cattle Club gold medal list, which requires a production of at least 700 pounds of butterfat in one year.

Previous to this new record the Alabama Jersey championship was held by Spennfield Dorothy, also owned by King Pharr, with a record of 12,928 pounds of milk containing 625.56 pounds of butterfat.

By producing 709.63 pounds of butterfat in one year Pannonia of Friendship averaged nearly two pounds of butterfat and over two pounds of butter each day.

FARMER IS SHOT BY HIS NEIGHBOR.

Fort Payne, Ala., Nov. 6.—Clinton Bearden, of near Henagar, in this county, lies seriously injured in the Wills Valley Hospital here while authorities have in custody John Jenkins, another farmer of that vicinity.

According to Jenkins' statement, he shot Bearden late Saturday at a distance of about 100 yards from their home. The latter is said to have threatened to kill the entire Jenkins family when he met the older Jenkins at a distance of about 100 yards from their home. Bearden is said to have been drinking.

Bearden was shot with a shot gun, according to Jenkins' statement, as he was advancing in a threatening manner. The load entered the lungs of Bearden. Jenkins gave himself up to authorities.

ENGINEER IS STRUCK BY MAIL CRANE, SKULL IS FRACTURED.

Allison, Ala., Nov. 6.—Engineer Spencer Frawley, of A. G. S. Train No. 43, the Pan-American, sustained a fractured skull here late Monday when he was struck by a mail crane while leaning out of his cab. Reports state that one of the brake rods on the engine was in bad shape and Frawley was trying to see this at the time. The train, behind time, was traveling at a high speed. The fireman, who was firing the engine at the time, turned just in time to see Frawley fall. He caught him, and brought the engine to a stop. Later he ran the engine into Boligee where a physician was immediately summoned.

The physician stated that recovery was extremely doubtful. Frawley was placed in a mail car and after an engineer had been procured from a switch engine, the injured man was rushed to a Meridian hospital.

Frawley lives in Birmingham and is well known in that city, having resided there for a number of years. Frawley's brother is an engineer of the same train from Chattanooga to Birmingham.

It is a coincidence that about 10 years ago Frawley's engine turned over near the same spot where his injury took place Monday. Frawley losing his foot as a result.

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Man Wins \$1,500 Bahn For Breach of Promise

Cincinnati, O., Nov. 4.—A verdict for \$1,500 damages in favor of George Carter, 45 years old, who charged Miss Alice Peale, 44, with breach of promise to wed him, was returned by a jury in superior court here.

Carter, who was employed by a pump company, declared that he and Miss Peale became engaged to marry in November 1919, and he gave her a \$400 diamond ring. Later she jilted him, he declared.

Miss Peale did not appear to defend the suit, which was for \$10,000 damages.

SCHOOL TEACHER IS KILLED BY TRAIN.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Nov. 3.—Daniel Van Zant, 72, a school teacher was struck by a train at White Side, Tenn., this afternoon and instantly killed. According to information reaching this city, the aged teacher was walking up the track, and directly in front of the train. One leg was severed and his skull crushed. The body was brought to Chattanooga to be buried.

Staggall, who is a favorite actor in his district, and "Cotton Tom" Hefflin.

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SEVEN POUND SWEET POTATOS IS RAISED.

Hartford, Ala., Nov. 2.—Ben Sigler, who has done several notable things in the way of farming in this place this year, is today gathering sweet potatoes. One was exhibited on the streets today from his field which weighed one estimate at nearly one thousand bushels and seven-eighths pounds.

Plenty of others in his field are apparently as large. He is gathering what one estimates at nearly one thousand bushels and seven-eighths pounds.

Mr. Donald Hammond, of Dothan, is visiting in Elba, the guest of her mother, Mrs. Will Bryant.

Miss Mable Hammond, who is teaching at Brundage, spent Saturday and Sunday in Elba, with her mother, Mrs. J. F. Brunsom.

Preparations Complete For Armistice Day At Samson.

Everything is in readiness for the celebration of Armistice day in Samson under the auspices of the American Legion near Elldale, a suburb of this city, for Emmet Stark, a young farmer, who died after fatally wounding his mother-in-law, Mrs. M. Brown, and seriously wounding her son.

According to the Sheriff, Mrs. Brown was beaten over the head with a heavy hammer and her son, who ran to her aid was also felled. The posse is threatening to lynch Stark.

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PUBLIC SALE.

On Monday, Nov. 13, at my house, I will offer at public sale a lot of household and kitchen furniture and all kinds of new farm tools, and a lot of other stuff. Sale starts at 8 o'clock and lasts till everything is sold. If you want bargains be no hand next Monday. G. W. Bowyer, Elba, Ala., Rt. 1.

Wounds Mother-in-Law Lynching Is Threatened

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Official Returns From General Election, Nov. 7.

The general election in Coffee on Tuesday, November 7th, was a very quiet one throughout the entire county. Although all state Democratic officers had Republican opponents, only a small number of republican votes were cast in the county. For the state officers the total republican vote in the county ranged from twenty-two to thirty. In the place for Congressman, Mr. Carlos E. Roberts, well known Coffee county citizen, who was opposing Henry B. Staggall, received a total of ninety-one votes in the county, forty-five of these having been cast in Mr. Robert's home voting precinct.

The voting was very light throughout the county, only 1145 votes having been polled for the leading candidates. The Clipper gives below the result of the election, giving the total vote of the county. We do not think it sufficient interest to tabulate the result, as only a small number of republican votes were cast.

We are also giving below the result on the two amendments that were voted on at the election. Amendment No. 1, which is known as the Mobile Port Amendment was carried in the county by a majority of 187 votes. The other amendment received a majority of only 57 votes. Following is the complete returns:

For Governor: Wm. W. Brandon 1104 O. D. Street 30 For Lieutenant-Governor: Chas. S. McDowell 1073 For Secretary of State: S. H. Blain 1062 J. I. McKinney 26 For State Auditor: W. B. Aligood 1055 T. B. McNaron 24 For State Treasurer: George W. Ellis 1057 J. I. Abernethie 25 For Sup. of Education: John W. Abernethie 1047 Miss Lucy Laurendine 23 For Commissioner of Agriculture and Industries: J. M. Moore 1046 D. E. Moody 22 For Attorney General: Wm. W. Brandon 1044 W. H. Ambrecht 22 For Associate Member of the Public Service Commission: Frank P. Morgan 1041 Sumter Cogswell 22 H. A. Cathey 22 For Chief Justice of the Supreme Court: John C. Anderson 1040 William Vaughn 22 For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court: Lucien D. Gardner 1030 Ormond Somerville 1030 Hugh McNairy 22 For Judge of the Court of Appeals: Chas. R. Bricken 1031 Henry P. Merritt 1031 W. H. Sanford 1031 Alex C. Burch 22 Homer Mitchell 22 J. S. Franklin 22 For Representative in the 68th Congress from 3rd District: Henry B. Staggall 1054 Carlos E. Roberts 91 For Judge of 12th Circuit: A. B. Foster 1093 For Solicitor 12th Circuit: R. H. Jones 1088 For Senator from the 25th Senatorial District: Shorter C. Hudgens 1073 For Representative in Legislature from Coffee County: H. M. Sessions 1112 For Probate Judge: J. A. Carley 1118 For Circuit Clerk: L. Belcher Clark 1108 For Sheriff: W. H. Watkins 1125 For Member County Board of

Three Small Children Kill Big Rattlesnake

Florida News says: According to a story of three small children, the oldest one only eight years of age, it doesn't require grown-ups to kill rattlesnakes. The story is that three of Mr. Jim Kelly's little children did the work. Mr. Kelly lives about 7 miles southwest of Andalusia on the Simmons Bridge road. The children, according to the story, were going through the field and found the snake which was 9 inches in circumference and 5 feet 1 inch long, and had six rattles, laying by a log. Perhaps not realizing what a dangerous serpent they were confronting, the oldest one of the children took out his slingshot and shot at the snake, striking him on the nose. Then they threw a lighted knot at him which, added to the wound of the slingshot, added the snake. The children then procured a forked stick, looped a string around the snake's neck, and finished the job.

BOX SUPPER AT GOODMAN

There will be a box supper at Goodman School house on November 17th, for the benefit of the school. Everybody is cordially invited to come and bring a box.

Miss Annie Laurie Bullard, and Miss Elsie Ham visited in Opp last week end.

Education: Jeff C. Donaldson 1118 Jack T. Taylor 1118

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With Elba Churches

BAPTIST CHURCH. Preaching 11:00, a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Chas. H. Germon, Pastor.

Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Grover C. Bowden, Supt.

The union service conducted by the Business Men's Evangelistic Club of Enterprise last Sunday was inspiring and helpful. The Church and pastor faithful to God for organization of a Business Men's Evangelistic Club in Elba.

We need to get busy and build up our Sunday school attendance, it isn't what it ought to be.

The pastor's subjects next Sunday will be: Morning, "Our Debt to the World," Evening, "The Evils of Gambling."

A glad welcome awaits you.

CHURCH OF CHRIST. Meeting now at School House Auditorium. Sunday School and communion service every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock.

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ALABAMA'S NEXT GOVERNOR.

The Tuscaloosa News says.

The voters of the State of Alabama have elected Judge W. W. Brandon, governor, and Charles S. McDowell, lieutenant governor, almost unanimously—in fact there was not time any doubt, even at the primaries, as to the place "Plain Old Bill" occupied in the hearts of people.

But Tuscaloosa will lose a man, for the time being, who will be badly missed, for Judge Brandon was always sought when there was anything of moment to be done, for his advice, counsel and help was given kindly and forceful and with profit to those who sought it. But the community will have the consolation that in the governor's chair, there will sit a man whose heart will always throbb with tenderness for his friends and neighbors in

Members of Association Can Draw More Money

Montgomery, Ala., Nov. 13.—An additional advance is available to members of the Alabama Farm Bureau Cotton Association on their cotton. At the meeting of the directors of the organization held in Montgomery, November 8, it was decided to raise the drawing account against a bale of cotton from sixty to seventy-five dollars. Farmers who drew \$60, on November 14-17 of this week, it is stated that they now get an additional \$15, if they want it. All that is necessary is for the owner of the cotton to write the state his desires, within the limits mentioned.

BAPTISTS HAVE STATE WIDE MEETING AT CULLMAN.

As we go to press report comes of the State Baptist Convention which convenes in Cullman, November 14-17 of this week. It is stated that as many as 500 delegates and visitors will be present. Secretary D. F. Green of the State Executive Board, Montgomery, and Miss Mary Northington, Secretary of the State Women's Missionary Union, reports a successful year's work in their respective departments. Total contributions for the year to missionary and benevolent objects fostered by the State Baptist Convention, amounted to \$407,172.04. Following the Cullman Convention, next week, November 21-23, the State W. M. U. Convention will be in session in Dothan where the First Baptist Church has made elaborate preparation for entertaining the meeting, it is said.

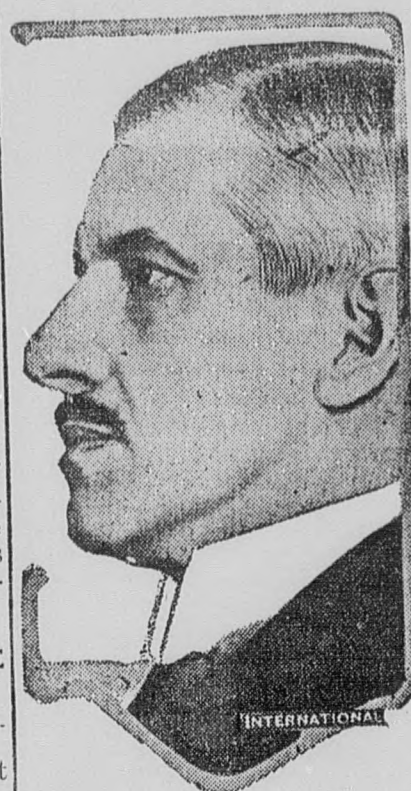
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However the State of Alabama will be far richer, for with Governor Brandon at the head, a clean, economical administration, without retarding of the state's progress, educationally or otherwise, is assured. There will be much done for the good of the commonwealth in the next four years to come, at Montgomery.

There can be no doubt that when a man like Judge Brandon, with his sincerity of purpose and his conscientious devotion to duty goes to the governor's chair, that the reins of authority are in the right hands. Perhaps too no other man elected governor is so well prepared as he.

ROBERT HAAB



Robert Haab has been elected president of the Swiss Federation. He was born in Zurich in 1868.

Million Barrels of Oil Destroyed in Big Fire

Houston, Texas, Nov. 12.—More than one million barrels of oil was consumed early tonight and indications were that a similar amount probably was doomed in a spectacular fire sweeping the Gulf Production Company tank farm at Humble. Three enormous underground reservoirs said to have a capacity of 400,000 barrels each, already were ablaze and the boiling inferno was spreading rapidly toward three other nearby pits. The whole farm consists of twenty tanks, all of which may be seen for ten miles.

Workers are handicapped in fighting the blaze, both from the heat and the condition of the field. Rains over the last two or three days have almost flooded the section and fire fighting apparatus cannot be moved quickly to the scene. Shortly after 8 o'clock tonight it was said that some oil was being drained from three tanks not yet ablaze and efforts were being made to keep the blaze back by throwing steam against the leaking blaze.

The farm situated on a prairie and fears are entertained that oil will spread beyond immediate property. The site is three miles from Humble however, and will not menace the town proper.

While the oil belongs technically to the Gulf Production Company, the earthen storage belongs to the Gulf Pipe line, a subsidiary.

At 9:30 p. m. hope of saving any of the million barrels of oil immediately threatened virtually was abandoned. It developed that the first tank catching fire contained 580,000 barrels of oil and that two other tanks on the same lot brought the total oil stored up to over one million barrels.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

The State of Alabama, Coffee County. In Circuit Court in Equity.

Mrs. Rebecca Rouse, Complainant.

Eugene Rouse, Respondent.

In this cause it being made to appear to the Register by affidavit of Complainant's Solicitor, that the Defendant is a non-resident of Alabama, and that his postoffice address is unknown, and further that in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years; it is therefore ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Elba Clipper, a newspaper in Elba, Alabama, once a week for four consecutive weeks, and that a copy of this notice be posted at the court house door for 30 days, requiring him, the said Eugene Rouse, to plead, answer or demur to the Bill of Complaint in this cause by the 14th day of November, 1922, or in thirty days thereafter a decree Pro Confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Elba, Ala., this 16th day of October, 1922.
S. H. BROCK, Register.

Some men are unable to save money because they haven't any to practice on.

Two Prisoners Killed In Attempt to Escape Mine

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 10.—Two prisoners were shot and killed, one was probably fatally injured and two others slightly injured when they are said to have attempted to escape through a mine shaft at Flat Top prison camp near here early tonight.

The dead are H. A. Johnson, Montgomery, and Geo. Matthews, Mobile. Clarence Reeves, Jefferson county was shot, and according to prison authorities is not expected to live, while Lewis Riley, Dale county, and Frank Cook, Jefferson county, were slightly injured.

Only one prisoner succeeded in escaping at the time, he being Louie Jenkins, Jefferson county, who was captured two hours later by officers with bloodhounds.

Charles R. Davis, warden at the camp, said tonight that he was unable to say who was responsible for the shooting, as he with Deputy Warden W. A. Bates and Yard Sergeant G. P. Armour were all firing at the prisoners as they dashed for liberty.

Warden Davis stated that he had received information just before the prisoners came out of the mine tonight that an attempt to escape would be made. The plan, according to the warden, was for one of the men to seize the night watchman at the mines, and hold him while the others escaped.

Davis said he and the other officers just had time to station themselves at advantageous points, prior to the time the attempt was made. The plan was executed according to schedule, Jenkins running up behind the watchman, felling him to the ground and taking his gun. The other men immediately rushed toward their stations, immediately began shooting.

All the men were serving long sentences for various crimes. Johnson was sent up from Montgomery county on a charge of burglary. He is a New York man.

LEE SCHOOL ITEMS.

Most everybody has finished long sentences for various crimes. Johnson was sent up from Montgomery county on a charge of burglary. He is a New York man.

The health of the community is good at present except colds.

Last Friday afternoon the pupils of the school celebrated Armistice Day by having a little play after recess. We are planning to have a good program for Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Bryant spent the week end with Mrs. Bryant's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lee.

Miss Verna Mae Helms and Miss Eunice Davidson spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Helms.

Mr. J. M. Rushing visited his daughter, Mrs. J. J. Moore Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Rushing visited Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bowden Sunday afternoon.

Miss Katherine Lee spent the week end with Mrs. Lunsford and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Lunsford and family spent the week end with Mrs. Lunsford's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Susie Waldon and children spent the day Sunday with Mrs. J. M. Waldon.

We wish The Clipper much success.

A. Pupil.

DEAF MUTE GROUND TO DEATH UNDER TRAIN.

Anniston, Ala., Nov. 11.—Manfred Lebetter, a deaf mute was ground to death beneath the wheels of a switch engine and train in the Southern yards here Friday. The body being prepared for shipment Saturday to his late home in Boaz.

The train which killed the young man was in charge of Conductor Fred Badger while Engineer Wilson was at the throttle.

—C. R. TALBOT—
Justice of the Peace,—Beat 6.
ELBA ALABAMA.
Collections given prompt attention.

Farmers and Merchants National Bank

TROY, ALABAMA.
CONDENSED FROM THE REPORT TO THE COMPTROLLER AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, SEPTEMBER 15TH, 1922.

| Resources. | |
|--|-----------------------|
| Loans and Discounts..... | \$966,564.35 |
| Overdrafts..... | 325.00 |
| U. S. Bonds..... | 128,600.00 |
| Bonds and Securities..... | 128,525.55 |
| Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures..... | 15,000.00 |
| CASH..... | |
| In Vault and Due from Banks and U. S. Treas..... | \$319,959.60 |
| U. S. Liberty Loan and Victory Bonds..... | 276,406.30 |
| | 590,365.90 |
| | \$1,829,417.86 |
| Liabilities | |
| Capital Stock..... | \$150,000.00 |
| Surplus..... | 150,000.00 |
| Undivided Profits..... | 69,068.65 |
| Circulation..... | 128,600.00 |
| Dividends Unpaid..... | 12,038.00 |
| DEPOSITS..... | 1,319,713.21 |
| Re-Discounts..... | None |
| Bills Payable..... | None |
| | \$1,829,417.86 |

The greatest builders in the world are those who build character. Men have built houses, roads and temples that have lasted for generations, empires that lasted for centuries, but those who build character fabricate something that will last to eternity.

Build into your character the foundation of industry, efficiency and economy. With these success is certain. Wholehearted industry brings out the best that is in us and drives out evil.

BOLL WEEVIL FIGHT TO CONTINUE.

It is the opinion of Dr. W. E. Hinds, Entomologist for the Extension Service, that there should be no let up in the fight on boll weevils, even though, ordinarily, killing frost covers the entire cotton growing section of Alabama by this season of the year.

During the early fall Dr. Hinds strongly urged farmers to turn under their cotton stalks at least three weeks before frost in order to destroy both food and shelter for boll weevils and now he advises that this fall plowing be continued in order to destroy their shelter or hibernating quarters. This work also adds organic matter to land, which is exceedingly beneficial.

After the stalks are turned under the next step is to clean out the fence corners and fence rows and clean off the ditch banks because large numbers of weevils seek such places for shelter each winter.

Each year the boll weevil damage is directly in proportion to the number surviving the winter and for this reason the turning under stalks, the cleaning out fence corners and ditch banks, and also of the stalks and ditch banks, is strongly urged in the early fall.

It is a never failing sign that a girl is in love with a young man when she begins to want to read the letters he receives from other girls.

Tax Notice.

TAX COLLECTOR'S AND ASSESSOR'S APPOINTMENTS FOR THE YEAR 1922.

Pursuant to the laws as found in Act approved March 15, 1910, page 2530, Acts, 1900-1, we will attend at the following times and places for the purpose of assessing and collecting taxes for the County of Coffee and State of Alabama, to-wit:

SECOND ROUND.
VICTORIA—Tuesday November 7th, 1922.
ENTERPRISE—Four days beginning Wednesday, November 15th and ending the following Saturday.

THIRD ROUND.
VICTORIA—Tuesday, December 5th, 1922.
ENTERPRISE—Four days beginning Wednesday, December 13th, and ending the following Saturday.

On all other legal business days from October the 1st to December 31st, we will be at offices in the Court House at Elba for the purpose of assessing and collecting taxes.

TAXES FALL DUE OCTOBER 1ST.—It is the duty of every person who is liable for taxes to pay the same on or before the 1st day of January of each year, the Tax Collector MUST PROCEED, WITHOUT DELAY, to levy upon any personal property of delinquent tax payers for the payment of their taxes.

Poll taxes may be paid by those who so desire between October 1st and January 1st after which date costs accrue. Property should be listed for assessment between October 1st and January 1st after which date costs accrue. Come yourself to list your property for assessment unless tax payer is a woman or disabled.

Under the law a penalty of 10 per cent must be added to all assessments not listed by the first Monday in February. Tax payers are urged to meet as early as practicable, for paying taxes and assessing taxes.

D. C. MARLEY, Tax Assessor.
JACK D. LEE, Tax Collector.

Have You A Bank Account

If you have, it indicates that you believe in taking care of your money. That, again, indicates that success in life awaits you.

Money in pocket is gone BEFORE you know it. When in this bank it is here AND YOU KNOW IT.

It's a comfortable feeling at any time.

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SERIOUSLY HURT IN FALL FROM WAGON.

Florida News says:

Last Saturday, Andy Day, who lives about a mile west of Lockhart, started to Florida on a wagon, and got to the Pond bridge in Lockhart where he fell from the wagon and suffered a fracture of the skull, which at first was thought to be fatal. However, some hope is entertained for his recovery as we go to press.

It is said that a small boy was driving the mules and that Mr. Day was standing in the rear end of the wagon which had a high body, and that he noticed a turtle on top of the water in the pond and threw a cane top at him for amusement. This caused the mules to jump forward and jerked the wagon which caused Mr. Day to stagger backward. As he was standing near the rear end he was over-balanced with his feet against the back gate. Long had his collar bone act and threw him out backward his head striking the ground first, fracturing the skull.

A physician was immediately called who hurried to his aid and brought him to a local hospital and for the first few

days, no hope was entertained for his recovery. But it is said that he is now on the road for recovery.

LEE LONG AND JUDGE C. F. WINKLER ARE HURT.

Montgomery, Ala., Nov. 13.—Representative J. Lee Long, of Greenville, Pickens county sustained a broken collar bone and slight bruises, and Probate Judge C. F. Winkler, of Butler county, was shaken up and scratched slightly in an automobile accident near Washington Park Sunday morning about 9:30 o'clock.

Judge Winkler and Mr. Long were in a Ford car driven by Mr. Long's negro chauffeur. They were on the way from Greenville to Montgomery. As they were driving along, a Dodge car driven by a negro dashed into the Ford, utterly demolishing it and spilling occupants to the ground. Mr. Long had his collar bone act and his injuries dressed and returned to Greenville Sunday afternoon.

Judge Winkler states that it is most miraculous that both he and Mr. Long were not badly injured.

"Judge Brown and Judge Crum say if Lacy had taken the staid result might have been different; that he might have been acquitted," said Governor Kilby. "Why did not Lacy take the staid and prove that he was not guilty? Are we expected to believe that an intelligent person such as Lacy would sit in the court room and hear himself sworn into the penitentiary for six years on a charge of which he was innocent without opening his lips and demand a discharge? If Lacy had then testified to what he now claims is the truth of the matter the jury would have been compelled to convict Lacy if they believed the evidence, and it does not follow that he (Lacy) would have been acquitted. It is more likely that both would have been found guilty."

Governor Kilby also announced that he did not agree with the opinion of Judge Mayfield that only one case should have been brought against Lacy and in support of his position the governor said: "I do not agree with Judge Mayfield, profound lawyer that he is, and for whose judgment I have the greatest respects, that only one case should be brought against a defaulter of state funds whose crime consisted of a number of transactions, distinct and apart from one another, involving the robbing of the state of \$100,000 in the aggregate."

Might Bring Suit.
On the contrary, I think that many suits might properly have been brought if they could be sustained, in order that the aggregate of the benefits could be made of sufficient

Pardon For Theo Lacy Is Refused by Governor

Montgomery, November 11.—"Theo. Lacy will not go free the hand of Governor Kilby. The former chief clerk of the state convict department who packed \$90,000 of state funds into a pine box in 1913 and disappeared, must remain in prison until the expiration of the second sentence imposed for embezzlement following his voluntary return to Wetumpka in 1914.

Governor Kilby, Saturday afternoon denied Lacy's application for release on parole. In an opinion of four and one-half typewritten pages, the governor announced that he could not agree with the majority of the state board of pardons and could not subscribe to the belief that Lacy had been sufficiently punished for his crime.

Governor Kilby said he could not agree with the persons who have contended that Lacy was not guilty of the second charge under which he was given a six-year sentence after he had been convicted and sentenced to ten years in the first case. He analyzed the evidence adduced at Lacy's second trial in justification of his contention that Lacy was guilty and was properly sentenced to a term for the second offense.

Denies Guilt.
The second charge against Lacy was that he embezzled \$29,477 which was paid him in cash by Bernard Frank & Co. for wearing apparel returned by the convict department. Lacy contended that he received the money at the command of James G. Oakley, who was head of the convict department and that he gave the money to Oakley immediately after leaving the state penitentiary and later the same day Oakley called him to a local hotel, gave him \$2,000 and commanded him to deposit the money to Oakley's personal credit in the Exchange National bank. Records of the bank were produced to prove that Lacy made the deposit. Lacy contended that this absolved him of blame in the second case.

Governor Kilby did not agree and announced that the fact led to the conclusion that Lacy had guilty knowledge of the fact that the money belonged to the state and was being embezzled. The governor cited the law to show that an accomplice is guilty of the same offense as the principal.

Did Not Testify.
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JESSAMINE G. HOAGLAND



Miss Jessamine G. Hoagland of Chicago has been elected manager of the savings department of a large Chicago bank, being the first woman to hold such position. She is the only woman member of the executive board of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World.

WILL HAVE NEW HOTEL AT OPP SOON.

Andalusia Star says:

According to announcements made yesterday at Opp, plans are on foot for a new hotel in that city, the work to be put under way sometime within the next few months. M. E. Donaldson, general merchant and cotton dealer of that city will erect the building and has let his contract which will take effect immediately after the completion of the high school building now under way there.

Since the fire several weeks ago at the Donaldson Mercantile Company, the stock of goods has been transferred to the store space formerly occupied by C. D. Page, in the same block and building. It is planned to extend the depth of this space by fifty feet and add another story, thus providing a very spacious lobby and adequate room space upstairs.

This will be a marked improvement, and will be received throughout this section with much interest.

Two motor truck loads of human bones, the remains of several hundred early settlers of New York, were unceremoniously dumped into the ocean recently in New York City from a rubbish scow, according to a news dispatch from that city.

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Killed In Accident On Passenger Train

Mobile, Ala., Nov. 13.—Express Messenger A. J. Taylor, of Montgomery, was accidentally killed while en route on south-bound Louisville and Nashville train No. 1, between Ocean Springs and Biloxi to-night, according to a statement given out by railroad officials in Mobile.

According to the information received here, Taylor was instantly killed when a pistol fell from a hand grip striking an iron safe in the express car. The bullet passed through his head.

Another employee was in the car at the time and reported to Mobile officials. It was stated tonight that the grip is used for keeping papers and that it is a custom of the messengers to use the safe as a desk. The information here is to the effect that it was while working at the safe that the pistol was accidentally thrown out of the grip. The body was carried to New Orleans on the train and after preparation for burial will be shipped to Montgomery, where Taylor is survived by a wife and other relatives.

It was stated that Taylor, who was popular in railroad circles, has been employed by the American Railway Express company for the past three years on the run between Montgomery and New Orleans.

Prof. E. C. Merritt, of New Brockton, was a visitor here Saturday.

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Insures dependable service for home lighting, for cooking and heating. If you are interested write for Catalogue. We have two used Plants, complete in good condition, with Stand Lamps 20c per foot. Repair old Generators.

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Farmer—Have all the cows been milked?
Daughter—All but the American one.
Farmer—Which do you call the American one?
Daughter—The one that's gone dry.—Ex.



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ELBA, ALABAMA

ENTERTAINS SUNSHINE CLUB

Mrs. Charlie Pete Lee was hostess at a beautiful party Wednesday afternoon, when her guests were members of the Sunshine Club. The living room presented a lovely scene being decorated with many beautiful Autumn flowers, here tables were arranged for the games. Delicious salad and an ice course were served at the conclusion of the games.

Miss Minnie King, of Opp, was the guest of Elba relatives the first of the week.

Come to Milt Tolbert's big show Saturday afternoon. We furnish you with all the tickets you want free.

Dr. S. W. May, of Brantley, was a business visitor at Elba yesterday.

NOTICE.
FARM LAND FOR RENT OR LEASE. SEE OR WRITE J. E. SPEAR, SAMSON, ALA., ROUTE 2. 16-23

Mrs. Frank Bullard, Mrs. M. L. Thurman and Mr. Leroy Bullard visited Montgomery last week.

FOR SALE. New Model Ford Touring Car self-starter, new tires, and in first class shape. Will sell cheap. W. O. Brown next door to Clipper office.

Rev. Chas. H. Gorman, pastor of the Baptist Church, is at Cullman this week where he is attending the State Baptist Convention. He will return to Elba the latter part of the week.

"FREE" "FREE" Absolutely free, tickets to Milt Tolbert's big tent show Saturday afternoon. All you have to do is to ask for them.

Miss Morrie Sellers, teacher in the Elba High school spent last week end with her parents in Samson.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

From the Chicago News.
Trouble soon pines away and dies if neglected.
It doesn't pay to spend money just to show you have it.
If you would improve your time, take it to a watchmaker.
Never meddle with a homel or a man who is minding his own business.
Honesty is the best policy, but too many people fail to keep the premiums paid up.
Once in a great while a married woman admits that she doesn't wish that she had remained single.

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GREAT MUSICAL ATTRACTION COMING TO DOTHAN.

On Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 23, there will be in Dothan, under the auspices of the Harmony Club, a wonderful musical attraction "The Norfolk Trio." A charming young group of brilliant and most gifted Southerners. They are to give two performances, entirely different. A matinee in the afternoon at 3:30 and a big program that night at 8:30.

Lovers of beautiful music cannot afford to miss this opportunity, for it is a rare treat not often heard outside our large cities. The club selected this holiday, that their friends in the adjoining towns might have a better chance to be free from business cares and come with us to enjoy this great feast of music.

Luther Burbank says "Music is fundamental, one of the great sources of life, strength, health and happiness." And Goethe, "A man should hear a little music, read a little poetry and see a fine picture every day of his life, in order that worldly cares may not obliterate the sense of the beautiful which God has implanted in the human soul." Let's remember that and come to Dothan to hear the Norfolks.

If you wish tickets reserved please phone or write Mrs. W. S. Wilson, Pres. Harmony Club.

FOR SALE
160 acres fine land 90 acres in cultivation. 60 acres stumped. Cash or terms.
C. W. MIZELL,
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**REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE
Farmers & Merchants Bank**
Located at Kinston, Ala., at the close of business October 17th, 1922.

| RESOURCES | |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|
| Loans and Discounts | \$59,110.61 |
| Banking House | 1,438.36 |
| Furniture and Fixtures | 2,178.85 |
| Other Real Estate | 2,856.50 |
| CASH: | |
| Currency | \$1,067.00 |
| Gold | 322.50 |
| Silver, Nickels and Pennies | 582.63 |
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| Due from Banks | 18,839.00 |
| Checks and Cash Items | 3,198.29 |
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| LIABILITIES | |
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| Capital Stock Paid In | \$36,400.00 |
| Surplus Fund | 3,500.72 |
| Reserve for Taxes and Interest | 620.00 |
| DEMAND DEPOSITS: | |
| Individual Deposits | \$46,316.54 |
| Cashier's Checks | 2,189.72 |
| Total | 48,506.26 |
| TIME DEPOSITS: | |
| Savings | \$7,490.98 |
| Time Certificates | \$88.00 |
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Before me came J. F. Brunson, Cashier of Farmers & Merchants Bank of Kinston, who being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statement is true and gives the actual condition of said Bank, as shown by the books on file in said Bank.

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EGG LAYING MASH RECOMMENDED.

The season of high-priced eggs is here, and for the largest profits in poultry raising it is necessary to push egg production at this time. To do so a proper ration is necessary. According to poultry specialists at Auburn, laying hens should have before them all the time satisfactory dry mash, of which one of the best can be made of 40 pounds corn meal, 20 pounds wheat bran, 20 pounds shorts, and 20 pounds meat scrap. This makes 100 pounds of dry mash, and for more or less the different ingredients should be increased or decreased in the proper proportions. To this amount 1 pound of common salt should be added.

For best egg-laying results hens must have some kind of animal protein and for this reason meat scrap is a very important part of this dry mash. Milk is also an excellent ration for poultry of all kinds.

In addition to the above dry mash, which should be fed in a self-feeder of some kind, laying hens should have a small amount of grain in the morning and all they will clean up at night. They should have plenty of fresh water, crushed limestone or oyster shells, and green feed.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PARDON.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of Alabama for the pardon of Albert Downing, who was sentenced in the Circuit Court at Elba, Ala., on Dec. 15, 1921 to the penitentiary for a term of two years and six months for assault with intent to murder.

Mrs. Albert Downing.

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Prominent Geneva Man Meets Accidental Death

Samson Ledger says:
Rufus J. Purvis, tax adjuster of Geneva county, walked off the edge of a porch roof at the residence of Mrs. G. W. Black in Geneva, where he was the guest of Adolph and Alf Black. It is supposed that Mr. Purvis arose in his sleep and was unconscious of what he was doing. His corpse was discovered early Sunday morning. Funeral services were held Monday, participated in by Revs. Peterson and Ford of Geneva, Atkinson of Hartford and Danley of Dothan.

Mr. Purvis, who was 52 or 53 years old, is survived by his widow and five children, Miss Leila, Rufus J. Jr., Jacob, Misses Gladys and Ollie Clare. He had long been identified with politics in the county and district, was once circuit clerk of the county, several times registrar, was a delegate from the Twenty-third senatorial district to the recent state Democratic convention and was an important factor in party politics.

MAN IS KILLED; GIRL ATTACKED BY NEGRO BELIEF.

Waco, Texas, Nov. 21.—Grady Skipworth 19, was shot and killed and a young woman companion attacked last night near Lover's Leap on the Bosque river, three miles north of Waco. The couple were riding in an automobile. Skipworth was shot in the neck with a shot gun at close range. The young woman is in a hospital. According to reports to the police the assailant was a negro who after robbing Skipworth shot him and threw his body over a 30 foot cliff.

The assailant then dragged the girl into the brush and left her there over the cliff. The girl made her way home early today. The negro escaped in Skipworth's automobile. Excitement is running high here. The crime corresponds in detail to the killing of Sid Bolton, well known young man and attack on a girl companion near Waco several months ago. A negro charged with the crime was shot and killed by the girls father immediately following his arrest. A mob of men burned the negro's body.

MODERN PRISCILLA CLUB

Mrs. William Diamond Pierson was hostess to the Modern Priscilla Club Friday afternoon. Many beautiful flowers added to the attractiveness of the living room, where the guests spent the afternoon sewing. Late in the afternoon a delicious salad course and hot chocolate were served.

Rev. C. H. Gorman, returned Friday from Cullman, Alabama, where he has been attending a Baptist Convention.

PROGRAM FOR W. M. S. AT M. E. CHURCH MONDAY NOV. 27th 1922.

Aim of the meeting—To give a world wide view of the work of the Woman's Missionary Society.

Hymn, From All the Dark Places, No. 633.
Devotional: Bible lesson—I Corinthians XIII.
Prayer.
Roll call. (Respond with remembrances from week of prayer services.)
Minutes.
Report from committees.
Missionary Topic—"The Missionary Society around the World"—by seven members of the Society.
A Reading—"Follow Me," a poem on Sisterhood—Mrs. Hymn.
Closing prayer.

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Vaughn & Kendrick.

PROMINENT CITIZEN OF BRANTLEY DIES SATURDAY.

Brantley, Ala., Nov. 17.—After a lingering illness, William Gilchrist, one of the oldest and most prominent citizens of Brantley, died at his home here at noon today. Funeral services will be conducted Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Gilchrist, a retired farmer and warehouseman, was 77 years old at the time of his death. He leaves a widow, and four sons, Emil and Malcolm Gilchrist, of Brantley; Leon Gilchrist, of Gantt; and Gilchrist, of Opp, and one daughter, Mrs. W. D. Colquitt, of Brantley. In addition to these he is survived by a large number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

THE ELBA CLIPPER

ELBA, ALABAMA, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1922.

First Woman Senator Gets Senate Thrill

Washington, Nov. 20.—Georgia's "grand old lady," Mrs. W. H. Felton, first woman senator was the star member of the east in the opening session today of the convening of congress. Her effort to be sworn in and sit for a day was forced over until tomorrow but in all other respects she enjoyed a thrilling debut as the congressional curtain was raised. And there was good prospect tonight that tomorrow success would crown her hope of becoming the first woman senator in fact as well as name, if only for a day.

The 87 year-old woman, a descendant of "Invader and lace from the old South," today was all but an actual senator, occupying a seat on the senate floor for hours where she was cheered by the galleries and was the object of congratulatory and official who thronged about her in informal receptions.

She was feted also by crowds about the senate and was photographed and dined. Tired but happy tonight she was prepared to renew tomorrow her plan for an official place in the senate.

Of all senators, past, present or future, Mrs. Felton was the first to appear today on the floor, accompanied by former Senator Hoke Smith of Georgia, and wearing a black bonnet and white gloves, she arrived more than an hour before the noon convening hour. Soon she was "at home," hanging up her bonnet and coat in the democratic cloak room and shaking out her silk dress and lace collar, she was given an absent senator's chair along side Senator Harris, democrat, Georgia, and was the center of all eyes and the lodestone of arriving senators who hastened to shake her hand and offer best wishes.

Galleries crowded, largely composed of women overflowing into the halls, cheered and applauded the white haired woman as she demurely before the senate convened, she was escorted to an ante room to receive a huge bouquet of red roses. Again the crowd broke into a cheer as she returned to the senate chamber, where she turned to her seat, where she remained watching each move intently through her gold spectacles. Clasped in her lap rolled in brown paper she held a broken commission as a senator, received two months ago by appointment on the death of Senator Thomas E. Watson.

All in the senate paid tribute to the first woman member. She was received by Vice-President Coolidge and met nearly all senators, republicans and democrats, as well as officials and guests.

After the game the Elba people were invited to the lovely home of Mrs. W. M. Lanier where they were served a delicious supper.

ELBA BOYS BEATEN BY HARTFORD.

The Elba Football boys, accompanied by their coach, Mr. B. H. Boyd Jr., and Messrs, G. C. Bowden, Walter Whitman, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kendrick and Miss L. M. Lowery went to Hartford Friday.

The Elba boys put up a hard clean fight and although they were defeated by the small score of 14 to 0 they proved to good losers as they have previously proved good winners.

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NOTICE. FARM LAND FOR RENT OR LEASE. SEE OR WRITE J. E. SPEAR, SAMSON, ALA., ROUTE 2. 16-23

Good Progress Made On New Christian Church

Work on the new Christian Church is progressing rapidly now. The foundation for the building was laid last week and this week the frame work for the walls is being put up, and within a short time the brick laying will begin.

The new church building is located on the lot just South of White & Company's store. This is a very desirable location and the new building, when completed will add considerably to that part of town.

The local members of the Christian Church are to be congratulated on the new building they are having erected.

With Elba Churches

BAPTIST CHURCH
Preaching 11:00, a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Chas. H. Gorman, Pastor.
Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Grover C. Bowden, Supt.

The pastor's subjects for next Sunday will be, "Baptist Achievements and Opportunities" at the eleven o'clock service and, "Christian Fellowship" at the evening service.

The doctrinal subject to be discussed at the mid-week prayer meeting next Wednesday evening will be, "The Being and nature of God."

All the ladies of the church are urged to attend the business meeting of the Elba Church at the church next Monday afternoon. There is something good in store for you.

All are cordially invited to attend all services of the church.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Meeting now at School House Auditorium, Sunday School and communion service every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock.

Come and be with us. Every member not only a member but a worker. We want you. We need you. Congregational singing. Come and bring your children with you. You can help us, we can help you.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. J. F. Pharr, Pastor.
Preaching every fourth Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. F. A. Symonds, Supt.

W. E. Blain, organist. All are cordially invited to attend all services.

METHODIST CHURCH
Preaching at 11:00, A. M. and 7:30, P. M. by Chas. L. Rowe, Supt.
Epworth League at 6:45 p. m. J. Leslie Mixson, pres.

On account of the pastor being away at Conference there will be no preaching services next Sunday.

Rev. T. W. McKnight in an impressive manner conducted the last sad rites. The interment was in the Churchyard Cemetery. Besides a host of friends he has left a broken hearted father and mother, one brother and five sisters. To those who mourn we offer our sincere sympathy and shall strive to comfort you in the consolation of all grace and keep them until at last they meet their loved ones in paradise.

A friend, Mrs. J. F. Lane.

FEED AND GRIST MILL RUNNING.

My Feed and Grist Mill, in the Western part of town, is now in operation, running every day. When you have feed to crush or corn to be ground, bring it to me.

M. J. LEE.

EX-GOVERNOR OF FLORIDA FREED IN NINE MINUTES

Pensacola, Fla., Nov. 20.—Sidney J. Catta, former governor of this state, was found "not guilty by a jury in federal court here today which tried him on a charge of pecuniary.

The jury deliberated only nine minutes. In fact speed characterized the case from the beginning. The former governor was alleged to have held John Henry Rogers, negro in bondage, on his farm after he had been pardoned from life time sentences during his term of office. A second indictment charged him with holding Ed Brown in the same manner. His trial today dealing with the former.

Busbee Is Appointed County Game Warden

Mr. J. H. Busbee, former police officer here, received his commission as county Game & Fish Warden, of Coffee county, on the 21st of November, from the State Commissioner of Conservation. Mr. Busbee made the announcement of his appointment public yesterday. When he stated his desire to have the cooperation of the people in fulfilling his duties, as all violations of the conservation law will be investigated and if evidence is found sufficient, he will prosecute all infractions. His commission calls for a rigid enforcement of the laws in this matter, and he asks to impress upon the public the necessity of obeying all laws pertaining to hunting and fishing. He will not doubt make a good warden.

IN MEMORY OF OUR DEAR FRIEND.

On last Saturday about 3:00 o'clock the death angel claimed for its victim our beloved friend Carliece Peavy.

He died in Montgomery at the hospital where he had been carried for medical aid and where it was hoped that something might be done for his recovery. But all that loving hands could do was to no avail. God in His all wise power saw fit to remove him from our midst. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Peavy and was born January, the twenty-first nineteen hundred and four. He made a profession of faith in our Savior about two years ago and was baptized by Rev. T. W. McKnight.

He was one of the most noble characters that I ever knew, and it has been my privilege to know him from his infancy. He was ever ready to perform his duties when ever called upon. He was loved by all and his friends were numerous.

Funeral services were conducted at Woodland Grove Church on Monday afternoon about one o'clock. A large crowd was in attendance on this occasion and many beautiful flowers were sent by friends and loved ones to mark the sleeping dust.

Rev. T. W. McKnight in an impressive manner conducted the last sad rites. The interment was in the Churchyard Cemetery. Besides a host of friends he has left a broken hearted father and mother, one brother and five sisters. To those who mourn we offer our sincere sympathy and shall strive to comfort you in the consolation of all grace and keep them until at last they meet their loved ones in paradise.

A friend, Mrs. J. F. Lane.

BOX SUPPER AT LEE SCHOOL HOUSE.

There will be a Box Supper at the Lee School house on Wednesday night, November 29. Everybody is invited to come.

The teachers.

Miss Merle Sellers spent the week end with her parents in Samson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis and Mrs. W. M. Tucker visited in Montgomery Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Reeves went to Montgomery Monday evening where they carried their baby for medical attention.

Mrs. Willie Coston, of Montgomery, visited in Elba Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. M. C. Russ went to Montgomery Monday.

MUSIC CLUB MEETS.

The Music Study Club met with Miss Ella Law Thursday afternoon. Wicker baskets of bright colored Autumn flowers were used throughout the apartments.

A short business meeting was conducted, after which the following program was given:

Origin of Thanks Giving—Mrs. J. B. Amos.
Piano Solo—Mrs. W. C. Braswell.
Violin Solo—Mrs. J. A. Carnley.
Piano Solo—Miss Hattie M. Bullard.
Reading—Mrs. J. W. Kendrick.

After the program the club voted, unanimously to offer a prize to the grade having the largest per cent of mothers present during a month, at the meetings of the Parent-Teachers' Association. The President appointed Mrs. J. W. Kendrick, Mrs. J. B. Amos and Mrs. Sam Elba as a committee to collect the funds from the music club members, and Mrs. M. J. Lee, Mrs. B. H. Boyd and Mrs. J. A. Carnley to select the prize.

All Stores Will Close On Thanksgiving Day

Elba business and professional men will enjoy a holiday on November 30 this being "Thanksgiving." Following is a list of those who have signed the list to close up:

Vaughn & Kendrick
Mays-Whitman Drug Co.
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Lime Cola Bot Co.
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Boyd & Murphree
Hay Merc. Co.
W. C. Boutwell
Bonneau-Jeter Hdw Co.
Ellis Merc Co.
Smith & Taylor
H. J. Clark
G. E. Lindsey
Dan Prescott
City Barber Shop.
Variety Store.
W. I. English & Sons.
Conner's Lunch Counter.
Boutwell Brothers.
Patrick & Danley.
Edwards-Raier Hdw. Co.
Young's Barbershop.
F. A. Devane.
English Brothers Co.
Harpers Hardware Co.
Elba Bank & Trust Co.
W. B. Rainer.
Dorsey Brothers.
Owen Brothers.
Whitely Company.
E. F. Blocker.
Debata Blocker.
J. C. Parker.
Sanitary Pressing Club.
Smith & Taylor.
E. P. Boazman.
O. Dowling & Co.
Rhodes Brothers.
J. P. Blair.
W. E. Blain.
Taylor Seed Company.

MAKES KICK ON NEGRO'S APPOINTMENT.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 21.—President Harding has